

Rufius Achilius Sividius

(fl. c. 483 – c. 488)

BRIEFING

Rufius Achilius Sividius (fl. 483–488) was a Roman senator under Odoacer's rule. His brothers included Rufius Achilius Maecius Placidus, and Anicius Acilius Aginantius Faustus.

BIOGRAPHY

He is defined as "quaestor" (perhaps *quaestor sacri palatii*) in the inscription on his seat at the Colosseum. His consular diptych, which records his further career, has been preserved. After his term as quaestor, Sividius was appointed *praefectus urbi* of Rome and then *patricius*. In 488 he was consul *posterior* with Claudius Iulius Ecclesius Dynamius, both appointed by the court of Odoacer, and *praefectus urbi* for the second time.